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Corey Milne, General Manager
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Subject: Formal Approval of Notice of Intention to Revise Mining Operations, Great Salt Lake Minerals Corporation, GSL Mine, M/057/002, Weber County, Utah

Dear Mr. Milne:

On September 16, 2004, we received your submission to revise the mining operations at the Great Salt Lake minerals Solar Pond 1B. Because this is not a significant change in your plan, the Division will consider this as an amendment rather than a revision. *The Division hereby grants its final approval of your notice of intention to revise mining operations for the GSL Mine.* You may now begin the construction and operation of Pond 1B as outlined in your revised mining notice of intention.

As noted in your application, this pond is being constructed below the meander line of the Great Salt Lake. Because this pond is being constructed wholly within the bed of the Great Salt Lake reclamation liabilities will be minimal. Therefore, the impacts of these changes will be incorporated in our next reclamation plan review.

Thank you for submitting sufficient information to expedite the approval of this revision. Please call me at (801) 538-5325 or Doug Jensen at (801) 538-5382, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Regulatory Program

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Enclosure

cc: Mark Kaschmitter, Great Salt Lake Mineral Corp.
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